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NI BONVENAS VIN.

Al vi, sentuxiasmuloj el multaj landoj kaj diversaj statoj kaj urboj, kiuj estas venintaj al la chefurbo de nia naclo por kunveni pro la espereble monda lingvo, Esperaton, la Washington Herald donas

Sen ia dubo, via afero faris grandan progreson dum la lastaj jaroj, kaj ni rimarkas ke homoj de multaj lingvoj kaj nacioj deklaras ke per tiu internasia lingvo la tuta mondo estos unigita en pli bona Amikeco-en "unu grandan rondon familian."

Se Esperanto efektivigos tion, gi rajtigos sian ekziston, kaj vian fidon kaj kredon je la lingvo.

Efektive, ni atendas, por decidi nian opinion pri vl. Ni ne scias! Sed ni forming the government. estas certaj ke vi kunvenas en nia urbo por pruvi al la dubantoj; post viaj diskutadoj kaj paroladoj ni eble estos inter viaj konvertitoj.

Belaj urboj estas konstruitaj, kaj kiam la Turo de Babelo kauzis tiun konfuzon de lingvoj kiu devidis la homan frataron en diversan naciojn.

Povas esti ke la tempo estas alveninta kim, per la helpo de internacia lingvo, kiun la tuta mondo povas kompeeni, la bariloj disfalos; kaj eble estos via glora privilegio, membroj de la Esperantista Kongreso, esti pioniroj en movado kiu helpos al la homa raso.

Ni ghoje akceptas vin che ni, en la plej bela normaderika urbo-en hia urbo, kaj en la urbo de la nacio. Nia gastameco estas senlima; niai pordoi estas malfermitaj por vi, kaj niaj mensoj estas pretaj por esti konvinkitaj.

Niaj noblaj konstruajhoj vin inspiru! Iliaj historiaj rememoroj vin tushu je la koro! Niaj herbe borderitaj stratoj estu agrablaj al viaj pledoj! Nia somera chielo ridetu afable sur vi! Kaj egale chu ni skribas en Esperanto au en la angla lingvo, la sento venas el la koro dum ni diras al vi nian ulej koran

Pie and Naval Education.

That succulent edible, which has been so often celebrated in verse and song, has lately been a factor in official transaction. A senior midshipman, one about to be commissioned an officer in the navy, was placed in charge of one of the mess Lo wants to enjoy his money himself. let herself be freed. Having conceived tables at the Naval Academy, his companions being midshipmen who recently entered the institution. The duty of the senior midshipman was to preserve order, furnish an example of correct deportment, and maintain discipline, in the system of inculcating obedience on the part of those under training for command in the navy. He conceived the rare jestfrom his point of view of the jocose-of instituting a pie-eating contest, in which he "ordered" his junior associates to engage. It is not made known in an authorftative way whether the conditions were acceptable or of the nature of a hardship, or whether the victory depended upon consumption of quantity or a record for alacrity. At all events, the superintendent of the Naval Academy recommended the young man for trial for hazing. The Navy Department refuses to regard the incident as of that highly culpable character, perhaps because both the Secretary of the Navy and the Assistant Secretary of the Navy are from New England, where indulgence in pie under any circumstances, enforced or competitive, may not be construed as calling for any form of disciplinary measure. Perhaps, too, the sanctity of the pie ought to be protected by official action, but much must necessarily depend upon the article itself-its composition and its culinary origin. The impartial view must regard the compulsory eating of some pies as a crime quite beyond the tame category of first-class jokesmiths of the country. hazing.

But, seriously, why did the Navy Department pass over this case, which was regarded by the superintendent of the Naval Academy as justifying court-martial proceedings? Does it really matter

midshipman fail to perform his duty to house was in as bad order as it is now. his juniors by example and requirement his juniors do something because he had human punishment. the power and used it for his own amuse ment, and perhaps to their embarrassment. It would seem that the Navy Deof the Naval Academy in his efforts the doctors were bound to fall out about to maintain discipline, and there must it be anything but that result when there is disapproval of a recommendation ...\$1.80 per year for court-martial proceedings for haz- per's Weekly. Oh, presumably the gen-... If the eral's collar button rolled under the busuperintendent of the Naval Academy does not know hazing when he sees it or hears about it, and is on the ground, and .54.80 per year it is not proper and safe to take his word him for a while, with board and lodging

The Desire of the People.

without aid from Annapolis.

better be administered from Washington

ical horizon are pre-eminently in response to the demand of public opinion. newspaper, whether for the daily or the sponse to the demand of public opinion. Sunday issue, should be addressed to And it is equally true, perhaps, that since the growth of insurgency-which is not confined, as some would have us believe, to a section of the Republican nore and more ways to make itself felt. It is public opinion, back of the revolt of the insurgents, and aided by a Demoof fate upon Mr. Cannon's career as not know all about farming? Speaker of the House of Representatives. It is the same thing in the case of Mr. Ballinger, who we are assured now is to resign from the Cabinet for the good of the party on September 15. We think that the question of Mr. Ballinger's retirement does not rest altoeven the rather grave charges brought against him in regard to Alaskan minable that the Congressional committee if there is one on his church. which has been investigating Mr. Balalso true, we believe, that, other things being equal, President Taft would be glad

strong enough to carry him back to his to something. profession on the Pacific coast. In the cases of Senators Aldrich and Hale, public opinion recognizes, we are sure, that the retirement of these men will be an intellectual loss to the Sen- entire show. ate, and thus to the nation, and yet it is

undeniable that they, together with several other of the conservatives, are mpossible, not to say undesirable, to keep up with the new spirit that is in-

Nor do we think that these rather momentous changes that are taking place or rather which are scheduled to take no longer the Republican party of old, falintaj en rulnoj, de post tiu tempo but if the spirit of progression has touched it, so, too, it has touched the and between the two parties to-day there theless. are no hard and fast lines. The desire of the people is to achieve good government; honest, economical, and efficient government-government by the people, not by parties. They desire not to be ruled. but to be led, and progressively led.

"The old order changeth, giving way to the new," and the desire of the people remain conservative is to lag, and again. among the stragglers will be found in failing to comply with the desire of the people, shall be seen no more.

How the Indian Looks at It.

Being asked why he consented to pay 10 per cent commission for the collection of his claims against the government of the United States, a Choctaw witness

"My share of the money to be received for the lands will be about \$5,000. would rather pay a \$500 fee and get \$4,500 while I am alive than to wait until the government acts and get \$5,000 when I am dead."

Poor Lo has learned a thing or two in his dealings with the United States evidently. It may be that the knowledge acquired will not be of much practical going up all the while, and Lo wishes to buy a few blankets, some tobacco, and things for his own behoof and benefit, without especial reference to the hence. Lo has discovered that "Uncle palm." Sam" is an adept at "standing off" the Indian. The Indian cannot walk up to the counting-room and get what is com- in the shade of a ninety-eight cent hating to him. He figures that it takes a lawyer, and a mighty persistent and bright one, at that, to get the coin of the realm out of "Uncle Sam's" strong Once we turned from its becken sweet, box and into poor Lo's pocket, even if

tion that \$4,500 in hand is worth \$5,000 in the bush seems pretty sound. Most people will think that a good deal less than \$4,500 in hand is better than \$5,000 in the bush. Ninety-nine persons in every hundred entertain the idea that it is week for the gods undefied:

Where are the comrades we used to greet Over the bridge of that great divide? The laughs they threw at our pilgrim feet. The flowers they flung when we sought to chide! Staff and scrip have we put aside. And over the night and across the day we seek for the gods undefied:

Where is the Gate to the Primrose Way? more interesting to have money in hand

or in bank than in process of collection. Poor Lo will get all that is coming to him-perhaps-if he waits. One can easily understand how he inclines to discount his paper now and then, nevertheless.

If he were a little better natured, Senator Heyburn would be one of the really

Not only is poor old Houston's popula-tion a measly 78,000, out most of that consists of red-headed widows, of course.

It is going to be mighty interesting watching the G. O. P. getting its house in in the departmental judgment whether order. The G. O. P. has a fine reputation

the occasion was made ridiculous by its for ability along that line, to be sure; ssociation with pie? Did not the senior but it has been many a day since its

A contemporary reminds us that there when he instituted the pie-eating contest? The triviality of the occurrence is Joe" Brown's poetry. And if there were, of less significance than the circumstance it would be unconstitutional, on the that a senior midshipman should make ground that it prescribed cruel and in-

And now the sour milk treatment, which was to enable all of us to live a century partment could afford to support the head has been pronounced dangerous by an eminent physician. Inevitably, of course,

> "Did Washington swear?" inquires Harreau, sometimes, of course.

Gallagher now has excellent prospects of getting a government job that will hold .\$2.00 per year for it, Naval Academy discipline might thrown in, moreover.

> A New York woman complains that she found an iron spike in a loaf of bread her baker brought her recently. They are sening bread by weight in New York It is plain, we think, that the strange nowadays, you know.

> changes that are coming over the polit-The notion that an Indian is a legitimate object of plunder may be somewhat belated, of ccurse, but it seems to be spreading, nevertheless.

Col. George Harvey's assignment to a conspicuous place in the Ananias Club is share, but don't put your feet in the party-public opinion has been finding getting him a fine line of advertising trough. free of charge, anyway.

"Col. Roosevelt is going to study farm ling," says the Chicago Record-Herald. cratic minority, that has set the seal Can it be possible that the colonel does

> The South has 1,500,000 more acres planted to corn this year than it had last year. We do not believe all of that corn will be made into bread, either

Mr. Rockefeller was fined \$8 the other lay, and paid promptly. Perhaps if gether on the question of his unfor- Judge Landis had made that famous tunate mix-up over conservation mat- \$29,240,000 fine a little more reasonable ters, the dismissal of Mr. Pinchot, or the government might have collected it.

That Massachusetts minister who in dorses baseball probably will have no pareral claims. It is, indeed, highly prob- ticular difficulty lifting the church debt-

linger's conduct in office, and before, will Senator Gore's willingness to talk right return a report that shall acquit the out loud in meeting, however, seems to and, headed by Capt. Michael Galvin, Cabinet officer of any wrong-doing. It is be thoroughly approved throughout the United States.

to retain Mr. Ballinger in the public Bryan's recent defeat in Nebraska has service. But for many causes Mr. Bal- played out. If Mr. Bryan ever hopes linger has become persona non grata again to get himself talked about very to the American people, and the tide is extensively, he will have to get elected

> The Alexandria Gazette says: "Mr. Roosevelt intends to take a more prominent part in politics." He cannot do that very well unless he undertakes to be the

notion of "doping" the baby is all wrong. out of touch with the times, and find it Even the babies would admit it, perhaps, if they could make themselves heard intelligently on the subject.

> Every way out of the Spanish fryingpan seems to lead to the fire

We are consoled by the thought; howplace, have much to do with party, ever, that crazy styles rarely last long. It is true that the Republican party is The "hobble skirt" will pass quickly, as did the little green hat with the feather stuck in it.

Gov. Patterson is reluctant to believe vital principles of the Democratic party. it, but we suspect he will have to, never-

> Woman Who Wonldn't Lie. Rose Strunsky, in the Forum.

There is a woman of sixty-eight on her way to Siberia to-day. She is Katherine Breshkofsky, who had already served twenty-three years in Siberia and is now on the Great Siberian road again. is to march abreast of the times. To to bleed a while and then rose to fight pense of a bungalow. They decided to

the near future many figures that have took place a few weeks ago, was remark- on the community plan. This was done, been picturesque in public life, but who, able, not because of any inherent exceptional quality, but because of the fact Viewed from the Russian standpoint, it over Russia in thousands upon thousands

of cases, day in and day out. She was tried, together with Nicholas Tchaikofsky, after having been kept in two years. The exact indictment against she was asked if she were a member of ductor came to collect the fares. the Social Revolutionary Party she answered "Yes," but that her work was in the woman. no way connected with Tchaikofsky's. Thus he was acquitted. He chose to deny facts to the government, or the government, seeing that the eyes of the world were watching, wished to appear lenient and did not ask embarrassing

questions. At any rate, Tchaikofsky was service to him, but he has it, anyway. freed. Katherine Breshkofsky would not He is not particularly interested in pos- a certain idea, compromise was impossi- be sure you have your fares." terity getting it. The cost of living is ble. The idea led her to the Great Siberian road.

From the Birmingham Age-Herald. "It must be very romantic to propose Indians to come a hundred years or so to a girl in the shade of a sheltering grinning crowd:

"No doubt, Still, some very happy marriages have resulted from proposals

THE GATE.

box and into poor Lo's pocket, even if
poor Lo is unquestionably entitled to it.
This is not very creditable to the government of the United States. Lo's noline the united and prayers we piled;
Strong of heart and with marching feet,
Valiant of purpose, in youth and pride,
To the sky and stars our songs we cried,
And never a one dare say us may!
But the stars were false and the prophets lied; Where is the Gate to the Primrose Way

Does the archway lurk in some phantom street. Where fancies like knights in armor stride, Where dreams come true and a glorious fleet Of ships come in with the sunset tide? In Villon's alley does it hide? Wise folks, give us a hint, we pray. Send us a word as a friendly guide: Where is the Gate to the Primrose Way?

Gallant sirrahs and dames discreet.
You that with lutes in rose bowers bide,
Help us the fiddler's fate to cheat,
The root of the rainbow's end confide! With tears we have sought it far and wide, Tired and weary and lone we stray; Alms we crave; let the good divide: Where is the Gate to the Primro e Way?

L'ENVOL Brave Prince Poet, the quest decide! Lead us to where the fountains play! Leave us not sad, unsatisfied; Where is the Gate to the Primress Way? -Kate Masterson, in New York Sun.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

ALL SORTS.

Chautauquas draw some girls away, And August finds Such girls at places where they may Improve their minds.

But other girls make it their biz To go for rest To where the silly season is

The silliest. Nothing Serious.

"And did you meet your fate this "No; I merely got engaged six or seven

The Usual Attractions. "I spent my summer in the Yellow-

a great resort." "The Yellowstone may be wonderful. but it will never be a resort until they have a boardwalk and a geyser of

Another Maxim. The good loser is generally a poor

As to Expenses. Talk not of dresses lace-embossed Or jeweled collars:

She has a coat of tan that cost Two hundred dollars.

It's all right to get more than your

Quite a Boon.

"How do the young men of Plunkville egard the suffragette meetings?" "With enthusiasm. It gives them an other place to take the girls home from." All the Ingredients.

"Will this sea salt give me a genuine cean bath?" "Not quite," answered the salesman To get that you will also need a package of our sterilized melon rinds."

BLUECOATS' BUNGALOW.

Policemen of Coney Island Enjoy Luxuries of Wealthy. From the New York Evening Telegram.

One of the reasons why policemen broughout the city are anxious this year to be detailed to the Coney Island recinct has just become known. Scores of the bluecoats doing duty on the isi- & Co.) who is in charge of the station, are enjoying all the comforts of the wealthy at mall expense. They have established : oungalow colony over near Sea Gate, between Surf avenue and the ocean, and here they live a merry, care-free life when off duty. They can take a dip in the surf, which is at their front or back oors, whenever they so desire, without the formality of going to a bathing ouse and waiting in line for a room, and they enjoy the cooling breezes from the Atlantic just as much as the fashonable sojourners at Newport, Bar Haror, or Narragansett.

Few of the streets in the bungalow Everybody should admit that the old ection are cut through, and the little wooden "shacks," or tents, are erected ere and there, without any semblance of order, just as the fancy of the owner dictates. Some of the bungalows are families. Numbers of bachelor policeroom together in one big bungalow, while others who have families occupy separate bungalows or tents.

One of the nabobs of the colony is Capt. Galvin. His bungalow is mere pretentious than the others, and contains as many rooms as some city apartments. It is freshly painted and looks neat and well-kept from the outside. The front of the bungalow faces on the ocean and is so close to the water that at high tide the sea comes up to the front door. There is a flight of wooden steps leading up to the door, and these steps are covered at flood tide. Ingress and egress is then made through a rear

There were many policemen desirous of living near the seashore, but they Like Jonne Armstrong, "she lay down felt that they could not bear the exchip in and rent suitable places, where Katherine Breshkofsky's trial, which numbers of them could be accommodated, and now there are several big bungalows that house from six to a dozen bluecoats. that the whole world was interested. There is a cook and a maid of all work in each bungalow, and these two servants was but a replica of what takes place all look after the wants of all the dwellers.

The Conductor's Troubles.

From the Youngstown Telegram When a South Side street car stopped the Fort of Peter and Paul for nearly at Basin street Wednesday evening a woman and a girl got aboard. When eithen of them is not known, but when the car reached Franklin street the con-"We haven't any tickets," exclaimed

conductor said. "Well, we haven't either. What are

you going to do about it?" snapped the sonal magnetism, and mortal greatness woman. After a moment's reflection the con-

ductor answered: the next time you get on a street car you through powerful and civilized nations

"Ha!" exclaimed the woman. you dare to talk that way to me. I have nounced and feared as destiny; whose your number and I am going to report donatives were crowns; whose anteyou to the company." As the conductor stood in the front air on the back platform he exclaimed to the

"Well! what do you think of that?"

Two Kinds of Chicken, From the New York Mail.

the coop in the country five days within he shall be called great. a forinight, the writer of these lines here highly resolves never to buy chicken in this city for his own table, and The day of horrors in France had been never to order it at a restaurant. Why going on for some time before Napoleon parody nature badly? The cold storage chicken, and about all that people get hereabout, are such, is the one point down dismally, yes, horribly. It tastes throned. Louis XVI and Marie Antoino better than it smells, and it smells nette had paid, with their lives, the forto heaven. Until he had the real thing feit of oppression which was not all their in the country again, the Office Window own. The Royalists and the Jacobins had man had almost forgotten how good the real thing is.

Didn't Work.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer. "Yes, I put up a scarecrow with phony gun on the fence there, with the idea of scaring away tramps who pillaged my garden after dark." "Did it do it?"

or A. D."

"Not exactly. The first night a tramp claimed; came along and changed clothes with it.' Too Inquisitive. From the Widow.

told him '73, he asked if I meant B. C. fense of the convention?"

promote the intelligent and profitable sprung modern humor; so people long ports, declared the greatest precautions study of the Bible than Charles F. Kent, ago learned to expect nothing new un- are being taken with immigrants from professor of Biblical literature in Yale der the sun and to agree with Pliny, the infected districts by the Public Health University. His series of volumes, enti- elder, who before he perished in the Service, which is not taking the slightest tled "The Historical Bible," are classics Vesuvius eruption of A. D. 79, remarked: chances. of their kind, and his latest study of "In comparing various authors with of Israel's Prophets" is a masterpiece of of the gravest and latest writers have consular offices at Hamburg, Bremen, scholarly industry and taste. It covers the transcribed, word for word, from former difficult and involved period from the be- works, without making acknowledgginning of the Assyrian supremacy to the ments. end of the Maccabean struggle; and the stone. The geysers are wonderful. It's flaming visions of those heavenly entranced poets and seers are fitted into the history which they illumined. Maps, charts, and instructive notes inform the reader at every turn, while the text itself, printed in true poetic form, is made re-

ISRAEL'S PROPHETS.

splendent. Those memorable prophetic figures, whose hearts were touched of God, rise up and utter their burning messages not only to the men of their own day, but equally to the men of our age; for, while they were timely preachers, they were also timeless in their exaltation of the sovereign authority of the moral law. Such books as this bespeak a new era in the loving study of the Bible. (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.)

'MY HEART AND STEPHANIE.'

"My Heart and Stephanie" is a rapidfire detective story, by Reginald W. Kauffman. One would think that every onceivable plot had been used for the making of detective stories, but not so. In this one the writer has used two novelties; his chief detective is a woman, and the murdered man is none other than the unhappy Rudolf of Austria, hitherto supposed to have died in the hunting lodge at Mayerling. Stephanie is a mysterious ountess, mixed somewhat incoherently with the story, with whom the heart of the teller becomes entangled, and after a wild chase across the Atlantic and two continents by two detectives the mystery is solved, and the story leaves with a promise that my heart and Stephanie are about to form a permanent partnership In spite of the two novelties of plot mentioned, the reader can remember a great many detective stories of greater interest than this one. (Boston: L. C. Page

KNIGHTS OF THE SWAN.

"The Two Knights of the Swan," by Robert Jaffray, is a critical study of the legend of the Swan-Knight which has played so important a part in European literature, music, and painting. The present book deals particularly with the two most important developments of this legend, in which the Swan-Knight was called Lohengrin and Helyas, respectivey. The book, which is very well done, to err in opinion, though it be not the cer, nephritis, diabetes, heart disease, and is rather for the student and scholar than part of wise men, is at least human." for the general reader of folklore. (New York: J. P. Putnam's Sons.)

Faithfulness of Women.

I tell you that women, as a rule, are quite large, and accommodate several faithful. I never saw a man pursue his peace," is recognized as belonging to wife into the very ditch and dust of George Washington. Horace had said, degradation and take her in his arms waves to bring back her corpse to his in peace what we need in war." arms, but I have seen a woman with her white arms lift a man from the mire of degradation and hold him to her bosom From Lippincott's. as if he were an angel.

Went Up in the Air.

From the Boston Transcript Customer-Have you any fly paper? Clerk-Yes, sir. Will you have the Aeroplane Journal or the Aviator's Ga-

Further Proof.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer, "He's as regular as a six-day clock." "I noticed that he always looks rundown on Sundays."

THE WAY THEY PUT IT.

Well-known Sayings as They Have Been Expressed by Different Men. From the New York Sun.

It has been said that there were orig-Perhaps no man living is doing more to some say seven—and from these has grants bringing cholera into American

'The Sermons, Epistles, and Apocalypses one another I have discovered that some Some of these transcriptions make in-

> time is fleeting." Goethe put the sentiment into German, thus: Ach, Gott! die Kunst ist lang, Und kurz ist unser Leben. Which Bayard Taylor translated al-

teresting comparisons.

same thought.

nost literally: Ah, Ged, but art is long, And life, alas, is fleeting. Chaucer had said, 'The lyfe so short, he craft so longe to lerne," but Hippoc-

Pope said: Know thyself, presume not God to scan; The proper study of mankind is man,

put it, "Make it thy business to know mediately preceding their embarkation. thyself, which is the most difficult thing that Tales was the originator of the say- on-Don, during the week ended July 9, is found also in slightly variant form on that since the beginning of the outbreak the tongue of Pythagoras, Chilo, Cleo- there have been 2,781 cases and 904 deaths. bolus, Bias, and Socrates. Juvenal took At Odessa there were reported between

its origin from the human realm when July 4 and 9 twenty-five new cases of he says it descended from heaven. Carlyle wrote of "One life-a little gleam of time between two eternities." Marcus Aurelius had written, 'Deem not diseases and brain disorders is necessary life a thing of consequence, for look at for public welfare," said Dr. J. H. Kelthe yawning void of the future, and at logg, superintendent of the Battle Creek that other limitless space, the past." The Sanatorium, Battle Creek, Mich., at the old Saxon, Bede, likened man in his New Willard yesterday

hall for a moment only, and then out would put us in possession of knowledge again into the black and unknown night, that would make it possible for us to is attributed to Mme. de Sevigne. Mar- into untimely graves at a time of useshal Catinat said that "no man is a liero fulness. to his valet de chambre." Montaigne observed that "few men have been admired dous importance that there should be by their own domestics." And Plutarch scientific investigation of the relation of says that Antigonus replied modestly to habits to health," he said. a eulogium, "My servant is not aware of

"When the candles are out, all women provided with all the appliances and reare fair," said Plutarch, "When all can- sources afforded by modern science, It is dles be out, all cats be gray," said John a work which can be accomplished speed-W. S. Gilbert recently sang:

She'd often pass for forty-fire In the dusk with a light behind her. "To err is human, to forgive divine," Tertullian, in the second century,

again." Goldsmith puts it: For he who fights and runs away

May live to fight another day "To be prepared for war is one of the largely to the desultcry experiments of more faithful than men-ten times more most effectual means of preserving the hypochondriacs and valetudinarians." peace, as a wise man, he should saw a man stand at the shore make suitable preparation for." While where she was wrecked, waiting for the Publius Syrus put it, "We should provide a few the observer at the office window

Ownership Denied.

"In your advertisement you stated that you have no mosquitoes

When kisses rime with O-how-sweet!
And blushes rime with roses!— O Happy Hearts and Tripping Feet, When kisses rime with O-how-sweet! And every werd's a song complete! What silly stuff your prose is!— When kisses rime with O-how-sweet!

AT THE HOTELS.

W. T. Chamberlain, of St. Louis, who ias been stopping at the Paleigh on a cusiness trip here, in speaking of the measures taken by the United States inally only three jokes in the world- representatives abroad to prevent immi-

"At the instance of the Public Health Service at Washington, the United States Antwerp, Rotterdam, and other Continental and British ports are working inder cable instructions, which require them to detain steerage passengers from holera infected districts in Russia and to disinfect baggage prior to embarka-Longfellow wrote, "Art is long, and tion for the United States," said Mr. Chamberlain. "These instructions were given on account of the recent reports of many cases in Russia and the prospect of the spread of cholera in Europe.

"The United States quarantine regulations, which are now being enforced, provide the steerage passengers and crews shall be detained five days in suitable houses or barracks located where rates, long before him, had uttered the there is no danger from infection. All baggage at those ports is being disinfected, and cabin passengers coming from cholera infected districts who embark at clean or infected ports must But Chaucer had said: "Full wise is produce satisfactory evidence as to their e that can himself knowe." Cervantes place of abode during the five days im-

"The latest reports on the Russian n the world." Diogenes Laertius said plague received here say that at Rostoffing, "Plutarch gives it to Plato," and it there were 303 cases and 97 deaths, and cholera and ten deaths."

"A scientific investigation of chronic

earthly life to a sparrow' flying out of "Such an investigation as might be the dark night into the lighted banquet made by a Federal department of health "No man is a hero to his own valet," keep alive 500,000 persons who now drop

> "It is manifestly a matter of tremen-"This is a work which can be accomplished only by a large body of experts

Heywood in the sixteenth century, and fly and effectively by a body having Federal authority and prestige. "The State puts out a red flag as a warning against smallpox, but leaves the citizen to walk straight into the jaws of wrote Pope. Plutarch had put it, "For other monsters of liseases-insanity, can-

arteriosclerosis. "It is the duty of the national governwrote that "he who flees will fight ment to bring to bear all the resources of modern science to aid in the settlement of those vital questions in regard to chronic diseases which are now left

Usefulness of Round Steak.

played a little baseball the other day and had his hands inside a "catcher's mitt." Tempora mutantur. With that glove an agile player could stop shrapnel. The writer was reminded of the days when American young men did not "So I ain't. Them pesky critters you pad either their gloves or their shoulsee flyin' around here don't belong to ders. A friend of his, a Congressman now, caught the swiftest pitcher in the college nines of the Middle West, a man whose infernal speed is still a memory in a wide section of the country. The catcher held that cyclone with a glove consisting of two thicknesses of unpadded leather, but he had his own de-

> rice to protect palm and fingers. Before every game he would go to the butcher's and get several pounds of tough round steak. With this he would pad out the glove. A good thick slice would last about three innings. At the end of the game the catcher would have an assortment of puffed fingers and a choice lot of Hamburg steak as a reminder that he had been stopping a demoniac delivery. It is easier to

catch nowadays.

The Birth of Tombstone. From the Popular Magazine. John Hays Hammond, the mining en-

gineer, tells the story of how Tombstone, Ariz., came into being. Two brothers, named Schefflin, Ed and Jake, had been prospecting for gold in Arizona, and they finally hit the locality which was later to be known as Tombstone. They had got down so deep that Jake had to dig the earth and load it in a bucket which Ed would draw up by working a windlass on the surface. he same measure he had declared should One day Ed called down to Jake that he

saw some Indians in the distance. "Then skip," called up Jake, "because this is going to be a great gold camp, and you can't save me from those devils But, when it's safe, come back and put

up a tombstone over my grave." Neither one had to skip, and they finaly struck it rich. A few years ago Mr. Hammond was talking to one of the Schefflin brothers and asked to be shown the original papers locating the claim to the mine. He read it, and Tombstone was spelled "Toamstoon."

Milkman's Remarkable Record.

From the Boston Herald. Covering a distance equal to five times around the world with a milk wagon, carrying enough milk to fill a lake oneseventh the size of the Parker Hill reservoir is the achievement of Boston's veteran milk dealer, Rufus Cheney, of Dorchester. For forty-four years he has stood between the customer and the cow, and in all that time he has missed climbing up on the seat of his wagon just fourteen times, when, back in 1875. he took a two-weeks' vacation.

"How did you happen to take that va-

"Well, I don't know," he replied, ruminating, "I didn't need it, but I kind of thought I would. It was just before I was married, and that was where my

Won't Have to Wait Long.

From the Chicago News. Mildred-Since our engagement George has been perfectly devoted to me. Do

you think he will continue to love me when I'm old? Clarice-Really, dear, I can't say-but vou'll soon know.

Abe Martin Says!

Tipton Bud an' wife wuz in town this mornin' pickin' out some butter fer Sunwatchin' th' R'publican party is th' best

And blushes rime with ro -R. R. Kirk in Puck.

Birthday of Napoleon Bonaparte-August 15.

TO-DAY IN HISTORY.

which have been presented of Napoleon; in spite of the hostile historians, foes, English literature, and English criticism; in spite of obstacles such as no other "But I must have tickets or fares," the mortal man ever conquered, Napoleon Bonaparte stands forth the most amazing phenomenon of human achievement, per-

the world has ever seen.

A man who raised himself from obscurity to a throne; who changed the "Well, I don't see what I can do. But face of the world; who made himself felt who sent the terror of his name across "Don't seas and oceans; whose will was prochamber was thronged by submissive princes; who broke down the awful barrier of the Alps, and made them a highway, and whose fame was spread beyond the boundaries of civilization to the steppes of the Cossack and the deserts of the Arab-a man who has left this record of himself in history has taken out of Having had real chicken right from the hands of mortal the question whether

Of all the mighty conquerors of the world, Napoleon stands second to none. Bonaparte, the small, slender, pale-faced, smooth-cheeked youth of twenty-five, encountered and quelled the disturbance. where the cold storage system breaks The monarchy of France had been de joined the howling mob of insurgents, and all together were rushing on to attack the convention, which was the only representative of government then in

> France. The troops of the convention had been sent to meet the mob, but retired in fear terror and confusion one member ex-

any can. It is a young Corsican officer, Napoleon Bonaparte." The convention immediately sent for him. All expected "I think that Lawyer Briefly is the to see a stalwart soldier, of gigantic meanest man on this earth," declared frame and imperious bearing. When they Miss Passee. "The other day when I tes- saw Napoleon's boyish appearance, the tified in that divorce suit he asked me president incredulously inquired: what year I was born in, and when I

"Yes," was the laconic and calm reply. | ippd, of England (1389).

In spite of all the contradictory views | With half-disdainful contempt, the president continued:

"Are you aware of the magnitude of the undertaking?" Sweeping the assembly with his magnetic glance, and fixing his eagle eye upon the president, Napoleon replied, "Perfectly; and I am in the habit of accomplishing what I undertake."

have been taken when, a short time before, he had watched the furious mob rush unrestrained through the palace of the imprisoned monarch. Then he exclaimed, "They should have swept down the first 500 with grape shot, and the rest would have soon taken to flight." And his own successful quelling of the insurgents proved the correctness of his plans and the marvelous executive force

And accomplish he did. But how? By

of the genius. So Napoleon established the new government of France called the Directory Napoleon: the little commoner who was born upon the Island of Corsica, on the 15th of August, 1769. Napoleon's father died when he was quite young, and at the age of ten. through the assistance of a friend of the family, he obtained admission to the military school at Brienne, near Paris. Regarded as a charity student by his com-

panions, he was here subjected to neg-

lects and taunts. And in spite of this and many other misfortunes he had to contend with, when he was examined for appointment in the army at the age of sixteen one of the professors wrote opposite the signature of Napoleon: "This young man will distinguish himself in the world, if favored by fortune." The prophecy came true in every sense of the cation?

August 15 is the date of the naval bat-

tle of Harfleur (1416); on which Lafayette, wife lived." aged and gray, arrived on a visit to and panic. The mob advanced and the America (1824). It is the birthday of St. convention trembled. In the midst of the Anthony of Padua (1195); Frederick William I of Prussia (1688); Edward Preble, naval officer (1761); Sir Walter Scort, poet "I know a man who can defend us if and novelist (1771); Thomas De Quincey. the English writer (1785); Aaron V. Brown, Postmaster General under Buchanan (1795); Rear Admiral Charles H. Bell (1798); Charles G. Leland, "Hans Bieltman," author (1824), and Mrs. John From the Indianapolis News, A. Logan, editor and author (1838). It is "Are you willing to undertake the de- the date of the death of Honorious, the Roman Emperor, in 423, and Queen Phil-day. Of all th' summer amusements